**BICYCLE PATH PRE-K/KINDERGARTEN CENTER**

**BICYCLE PATH PTA SCHOLARSHIP**
The Bicycle Path PTA is offering a $500 scholarship to a graduating senior from Newfield or Centereach High School. We are looking for a student who has been involved in school and community activities, as well as having strong academic class standing.  
(Do not include name-student number only.)  
Click for application!  
**Eligible Students: Former Stagecoach, New Lane and Hawkins Path Students**

**EUGENE AUER MEMORIAL ELEMENTARY**

**EUGENE AUER – ADELINE NATHANSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
The Adeline Nathanson Memorial Scholarship has been established to aid a student who is graduating from high school in meeting the tremendous financial burden imposed on a college student. The scholarship is in the amount of $500. (Do not include name-student number only.)  
Click for application!  
**Eligible Students: Former Eugene Auer Students**

**EUGENE AUER – RICHARD HOFF MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
The Eugene Auer PTA is awarding one (1) scholarship in the amount of $500 to a graduating student planning to attend college or a vocational/technical school in September 2018. This student must have attended through 5th grade at Eugene Auer Elementary School. This scholarship is not being awarded on scholastic standing, but solely on the answers to the application questions and essay. (Do not include name-student number only.)  
Click for application!  
**Eligible Students: Former Eugene Auer Students**

**EUGENE AUER – TYLER PETIX MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
A scholarship in the amount of $250 will be awarded in memory of Tyler Petix a student at Eugene Auer Elementary School. This scholarship will be given to a special education student graduating from Centereach High School. Essay: How have you overcome an obstacle in your life? (Do not include name-student number only.)  
Click for application!  
**Eligible Students: Centereach Special Education Seniors**

**HAWKINS PATH ELEMENTARY**

**HAWKINS PATH PTA SCHOLARSHIP**
The Hawkins Path PTA is offering a $500 scholarship to a graduating senior from either Newfield or Centereach High School who attended Hawkins Path Elementary through the fifth grade. The student should be well-rounded and involved in his/her community and/or school and have plans to further his/her education.  
(Do not include name-student number only.)  
Click for application!  
**Eligible Students: Former Hawkins Path Students**

**HOLBROOK ROAD ELEMENTARY**

**HOLBROOK ROAD PTA SCHOLARSHIP**
The Holbrook Road PTA is offering two (2) $500 scholarships to graduating high school seniors who have attended Holbrook Road Elementary School. Personal academic effort is expected regardless of class standing. We are also looking for those students who have been involved in activities at school, in the community or both. These students should have attainable goals, which will be pursued through either an academic or vocational school. (Do not include name-student number only.)  
Click for application!  
**Eligible Students: Former Holbrook Road Students**

**JERICHO ELEMENTARY**

**JERICHO PTA SCHOLARSHIP**
Jericho Elementary School is offering two (2) $750 scholarships. These scholarships are not awarded on scholastic standing, but are chosen on the merits of a written, one-page composition on one of several topics offered. Seniors from Newfield and Centereach High Schools who attended through 5th grade Jericho Elementary School are eligible. Please mail applications to: Laurie Blair 34 North Coleman Road, Centereach, NY 11720 (Do not include name-student number only.)  
Click for application!  
**Eligible Students: Former Jericho Students**
**NEW LANE MEMORIAL ELEMENTARY**

**NEW LANE PTA – TEACHERS’ MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
We offer two (2) $500 scholarships to two deserving seniors, from Centereach and/or Newfield High School, regardless of academic standing. You must have attended New Lane Elementary School to apply for our scholarship. Four short essays are required on the following topics:
- Your New Lane School experience.
- Your home and community life.
- What you feel is most important to you.
- Your career/college aspirations.
Your essays will be judged on what you have to say about yourself and the presentation of your statements. Please mail applications to: Tina Wuttke-Hellin/New Lane Scholarship Committee 15 New Lane, Selden, NY 11784
(Do not include name-student number only.)
Click for application!
Eligible Students: Former New Lane Students

**NORTH COLEMAN ROAD ELEMENTARY**

**NORTH COLEMAN ROAD PTA SCHOLARSHIP**
The North Coleman Road Elementary School PTA is offering two (2) $500 scholarships. Graduating seniors from Newfield and Centereach High Schools, having attended North Coleman Road Elementary School through the fifth grade that plan on continuing their education, may apply. Class standing and grade point average are not criteria for this award. We are looking for a well-rounded student, one who is involved in extracurricular activities, community service and athletics.
(Do not include name-student number only.)
Click for application!
Eligible Students: Former North Coleman Road Students

**OXHEAD ROAD ELEMENTARY**

**OXHEAD ROAD PTA SCHOLARSHIP**
Oxhead Road Elementary School will award two (2) $500 scholarships to the students who have demonstrated strong academic efforts regardless of their academic standing, and who have made the most of the skills they possess. The students should demonstrate the ability to become involved in all areas of the school program, performing to their fullest capacity, interacting with their peers and exhibiting overall concern for others. The students should aspire toward goals that are not only self-rewarding, but will also benefit their community and those around them.
(Do not include name-student number only.)
Click for application!
Eligible Students: Former Oxhead Road Students

**STAGECOACH ELEMENTARY**

**STAGECOACH PTA SCHOLARSHIP**
The Stagecoach Elementary School PTA is offering two (2) scholarships in the amount of $500 each for students graduating from high school who attended Stagecoach Elementary School. Our committee is looking for applicants who are pursuing a higher education and who have demonstrated good character throughout their education, as well as involvement in social and community services.
(Do not include name-student number only.)
Click for application!
Eligible Students: Former Stagecoach Students

**UNITY DRIVE PRE-K/KINDERGARTEN CENTER**

**UNITY DRIVE PTA – ROBERT SIMMONS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
The Unity Drive PTA is offering two (2) $500 scholarships to two seniors who are planning to attend college in September 2018. The scholarship is being awarded solely on the written essay. Please indicate ONLY your student ID# as well as which high school you attend. Please write an essay of 200 or more words.
- Give a detailed description of a community service activity you have performed.
- Explain in detail why you chose this service.
- What benefits do you believe will come from your service?
- How did you feel upon the completion of your service?
(Do not include name-student number only.)
Click for application!
Eligible Students: Former Unity Drive Students who now attend Newfield or Centereach High School
DAWNWOOD MIDDLE SCHOOL

DAWNWOOD MIDDLE SCHOOL PTA SCHOLARSHIP
Dawnwood Middle School offers five (5) $250 scholarships to seniors who attended and completed eighth grade at Dawnwood and are planning to continue their education. One of the scholarships is given in memory of Olympia Ferrati to a special education student. Dawnwood is seeking the well-rounded student; who is involved in extra-curricular activities and service. Class standing and grade point average are not considered criteria for this application. The applicant should exhibit leadership qualities, strong character and a drive to achieve. He/she should have set goals for the future, and be able to formulate a plan to best execute those goals.

Please include the question number and question above your response when answering the following questions:

1. What are your vocational goals? How do you plan to fulfill these goals?
2. Describe your extra-curricular activities. Include community service involvement.
3. Describe your overall high school experience.
4. What advice would you offer incoming high school students?
5. In general, what aspects of high school would you like to see changed and why?
6. How do you view yourself as a person? How do others view you?

(Do not include name-student number only.)

Click for application!

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: FORMER DAWNWOOD MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS

SELDEN MIDDLE SCHOOL

SELDEN MIDDLE SCHOOL PTA SCHOLARSHIP
Selden Middle School PTA will offer up to four (4) $500 scholarships to seniors who attended Selden Middle School for at least one full school year and are planning to attend college and/or further their education. Selden is seeking the well-rounded student, one who is involved in extra-curricular school and/or community activities and service. Applicants should exhibit leadership qualities, strong character and a drive to achieve. He/she should have set goals for the future, and be able to formulate a plan to best execute those goals. Class standing and grade point average are not considered criteria for application.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

Click for application!

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: FORMER SELDEN MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS

CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL

CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL PTSA – THE JOANNE KURTZ MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
The Joanne Kurtz Memorial Scholarship will be awarded to one student with special needs who shows an ability to work hard in his/her area of interest and is seeking to further his/her education academically or vocationally. This is a monetary award, not to exceed $500.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

Click for application!

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION SENIORS

CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL PTSA SCHOLARSHIP
The Centereach High School PTSA (Parent Teacher Student Association) is offering at least three (3) monetary awards, not to exceed $500 each, to students who show an ability to work hard in their area of interest and who are seeking to further their education academically.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

Click for application!

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS
NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL

NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL PTSA MEMBERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP
This year the Newfield High School PTSA will be distributing one (1) or more $500 award(s) to a graduating senior(s) who is/are current member(s) of the PTSA. For consideration, your application should reflect your involvement with the PTSA. Class standing and grade point average are not considered criteria for application. Please drop off completed applications to your Guidance Office.
(Do not include name-student number only.)
Click for application!

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS THAT ARE PTSA MEMBERS

NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL PTSA SCHOLARSHIP
This year the Newfield High School PTSA will be distributing two (2) or more $500 awards to graduating seniors. Your application will be a reflection on your life and experiences at Newfield and/or in the community. Class standing and grade point average are not considered criteria for application. Please drop off completed applications to your Guidance Office.
(Do not include name-student number only.)
Click for application!

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

PTA/PTSA COUNCIL

MIDDLE COUNTRY PTA/PTSA COUNCIL – THE TED BRIGHAM MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
The Middle Country Council of PTA/PTSA will award up to six (6) $500 scholarships to students who show an ability to work hard in their area of interest and who are seeking to further their education either academically or vocationally. The scholarship must, however, be used at an accredited institution of higher learning, including a two-year community college. The award is an outright grant.
(Do not include name-student number only.)
Click for application!

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: GRADUATING CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

SEPTA

MIDDLE COUNTRY SEPTA – ACHIEVEMENT AWARD
SEPTA awards four (4) Achievement Awards annually. This $500 scholarship is granted to four seniors who are currently receiving or have previously received special education services in Centereach and Newfield High Schools. Students must complete the online application and list the post-secondary and/or vocational training that they are seeking. Additionally, examples of good citizenship and positive academic attitude should be incorporated in their electronic submission. Students are required to mail two teacher recommendations and a copy of their submission to the address listed below. 8-43rd Street, Centereach, NY 11720 Attn: Ms. Pabon
(Do not include name-student number only.)
Click for application!

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION SENIORS

SEPTA “MAKING A DIFFERENCE” SCHOLARSHIP
SEPTA would be honored to present at least two (2) $500 scholarships to graduating seniors, who wish to pursue their education in the medical field, with a concentration in the research and study of neurological disorders. Students from both Centereach and Newfield High Schools will be considered. In addition to the online application questions, the applicant must submit an essay, minimum of 150 words, explaining how a neuro-disability has touched his/her life and what they gained from an experience where they involved themselves in and helped a fellow challenged student overcome a situation. The applicant should include what he/she learned about him/herself and how it influenced his/her choice to enter the medical field in order to contribute towards the goal of finding the cause and treatments for individuals who are challenged by these conditions.
(Do not include name-student number only.)
Click for application!

ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION SENIORS

“No act of kindness, no matter how small, is ever wasted.”
~ Aesop
THE DORIS A. NELSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Doris A. Nelson Memorial Scholarship was established in the memory of Doris Nelson by her children. Doris was a food service worker for many years at Selden Middle School and later on at Newfield High School. Doris and her husband, John, were longtime Middle Country residents whose three sons were educated in the Middle Country Central School District. Middle Country has been very good to the Nelson family and this scholarship is its way to honor Doris Nelson, and to give back to the Middle Country community. This is a $250 award and is given to a Newfield High School student who will be attending Suffolk Community College. This scholarship cannot be applied for online. Applications may be obtained in the Guidance Office. The recipient will be presented with the scholarship at the MCTA Awards Ceremony on May 2, 2018.

Eligible Students: Newfield High School Seniors

ERNEST AND ELIZABETH MARKOVIC MEMORIAL AWARD

In honor of the memory of Ernest and Elizabeth Markovic, firm believers and supporters of occupational education, Miss Edna Markovic established a sustaining memorial award. The award goes to one outstanding career and technical education student in each high school. The selected students are presented with a check. Student will be chosen from the Activity Sheet.

Eligible Students: Centereach and Newfield High School Seniors

THE FRIENDS OF MIDDLE COUNTRY PUBLIC LIBRARY SCHOLARSHIP

The Friends of MCPL will award two (2) $500 scholarships to two college bound seniors who reside in MCCSD and who have also contributed to MCPL during their years in high school. Students must graduate in either January 2018 or June 2018.

Applicants must submit the following requirements:
1. Completed Scholarship Application form*
2. Completed Middle Country Public Library Participation Form*
3. A 300-400 word essay in response to one of the two assigned topics*
4. Outstanding finalists will be invited to appear for an interview.

*See application

This scholarship cannot be applied for online. Applications may be obtained in the Guidance Office. Click for application!

Eligible Students: College bound seniors who reside in MCCSD

THE JOHN E. NELSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The John E. Nelson Memorial Scholarship was established in the memory of John Nelson by his children. John and his wife, Doris, were longtime Middle Country residents whose three sons were educated in the Middle Country Central School District. Middle Country has been very good to the Nelson family and this scholarship is its way to honor John Nelson and to give back to the Middle Country community. This is a $250 award and is given to a Centereach High School student who will be attending Suffolk Community College. This scholarship cannot be applied for online. Applications may be obtained in the Guidance Office. The recipient will be presented with the scholarship at the MCTA Awards Ceremony on May 2, 2018.

Eligible Students: Centereach High School Seniors

MIDDLE COUNTRY ADMINISTRATORS’ ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

The Middle Country Administrators Association will be awarding a $500 scholarship to a goal oriented student who exhibits outstanding leadership qualities, strong character, and a desire to succeed. This scholarship must be used at an accredited institution of higher learning, including two year/community college or technical school. One student from each high school will be chosen by the Administrative Association.

Eligible Students: Centereach and Newfield High School Seniors
**MIDDLE COUNTRY ASSOCIATION OF TEACHER AIDES SCHOLARSHIP**
The Middle Country Association of Teacher Aides will present two (2) $500 awards. We will offer one award to a Centereach graduate and one to a Newfield graduate. The senior must be related to a Middle Country Teacher Aide. Please include the name of the teacher aide you are related to on your application, unfortunately if a name is not provided your application will not be eligible.

*Click for application!*

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

**MIDDLE COUNTRY EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP**
The Middle Country Educational Foundation is offering two (2) $750 scholarships, and up to two (2) additional, one at each high school, to graduating seniors.

The essay must incorporate answers to the following questions:
- How has your educational experience shaped your life?
- What was your most profound educational experience?

*(Do not include name-student number only.)*

*Click for application!*

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

**MIDDLE COUNTRY PUPIL PERSONNEL SCHOLARSHIP**
The Middle Country Pupil Personnel Department will be awarding scholarships. A recipient will be selected at both Newfield and Centereach High Schools. Each candidate will complete an application which will be available in the guidance office of each high school. **Every senior with special education support is eligible.** Criteria for this award will be based on overall improvement and growth in school attendance, academic performance and effort, contributions to their community, and counselor/teacher recommendations. Candidates must answer the following questions: What has been your greatest challenge in life? Describe how you worked to overcome this challenge.

*Click for application!*

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SPECIAL EDUCATION SENIORS**

**MIDDLE COUNTRY REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL NURSES’ SCHOLARSHIP**
An award of $500 is given to the most deserving senior at each high school applying for this scholarship. One award is given in each high school. Applicants must write an essay explaining why they want to become a nurse.

The senior must be going into a nursing program. Overall rank, achievement, and community service will be taken into account. **Do not put name on application form just student number.**

*Click for application!*

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

**MIDDLE COUNTRY RETIREES’ ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP AWARD**
Criteria for this scholarship will be based on academic achievement, school and community activities and financial need. This award is in the amount of $1000 and will be given to one student from each high school. Please include the following: Your Activity Sheet, a list of the colleges and/or universities to which you have applied (check those to which you have already been accepted) and your senior year grades through the most recent report card. Also, please include an essay of approximately 500 words on one of the following topics:
- a. My single most valuable “life experience” in and out of school (non-academic).
- b. The academic (or Subject) field that inspires me or challenges me to greater achievement.
- c. The school or community activity from which I have received the most or best intangible benefit(s).

Please do not submit a copy of your college application essay.

*(Do not include name-student number only.)*

*Click for application!*

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

**MIDDLE COUNTRY SECRETARIAL ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP**
The Middle Country Secretarial Association will present three (3) $250 awards. We will offer one award to a Newfield graduate and one to a Centereach graduate. The third award will go to a child or grandchild of a Middle Country Retiree. Please do not submit a copy of your college application, include your Activity Sheet, a list of the colleges and/or universities to which you have applied (check those to which you have already been accepted) and your senior year grades through the most recent report card. Also, please include an essay of approximately 500 words on one of the following topics:
- a. My single most valuable “life experience” in and out of school (non-academic).
- b. The academic (or Subject) field that inspires me or challenges me to greater achievement.
- c. The school or community activity from which I have received the most or best intangible benefit(s).

Please do not submit a copy of your college application essay.

*(Do not include name-student number only.)*

*Click for application!*

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

“Wherever you go, go with all your heart.”
—Confucius
MIDDLE COUNTRY TEACHERS’ ASSOCIATION

SCHOLARSHIPS:

INGRID AND JACK WALLACH ELEMENTARY CLASSROOM TEACHING SCHOLARSHIP

This award will be paid in four (4) installments of $1,000 per year. Two (2) scholarships will be awarded annually to students who are eligible. Candidates must be entering the field of elementary education as classroom teachers, and maintain at least a B average each year. **This scholarship cannot be applied for online.** Applications may be obtained in the Guidance Office. The recipient will be presented with the scholarship at the MCTA Awards Ceremony on May 2, 2018.

Click for information!

**Eligible Students:** Centereach And Newfield High School Seniors

NEW LANE FACULTY SCHOLARSHIP

The New Lane teachers will be offering two (2) scholarships to deserving students who attended New Lane Elementary School. We will offer one scholarship to a Newfield graduate and one to a Centereach graduate. Our scholarship committee will give special emphasis to those students who have overcome difficulties in learning, or in life, to become successful in school. Please write an essay of at least 150 words to discuss your elementary school years at New Lane and how they helped influence your academic career.

- How did your New Lane years help prepare you for your future?
- Were there any teachers or other people in your life who helped you overcome problems or difficulties? If so, please tell us about it.
- Use details and examples in your essay to illustrate your answers to the above questions.

Your essay should be carefully organized into paragraphs. Please proofread.

(Do not include name-student number only.)

Click for application!

**Eligible Students:** Former New Lane Students

NATIONAL ART HONOR SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP (NAHS)

The first National Art Honor Society Scholarship was given in 1987. The Newfield and Centereach High School Chapters sponsor a yearly fundraiser. The proceeds go towards scholarships that are offered to National Art Honor Society seniors who are art majors and who are pursuing art as his/her college major. To qualify, each candidate is required to complete an application and present his/her portfolio to a peer portfolio-reviewing committee. Interested students should contact Mr. Sal Berretta or Ms. Patty Kern at NHS Art Department and Ms. Lorraine Angeletti or Ms. Jeannette Kiesling at CHS Art Department.

Click for information!

**Eligible Students:** Centereach And Newfield National Art Honor Society Seniors

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**Your best teacher is your last mistake.**

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**Personal Challenges**
COMMUNITY AND BUSINESS ORGANIZATIONS

**AMERICAN LEGION POST #1633 SCHOLARSHIP**
The American Legion Post #1633 will award two (2) $250 scholarships to a graduating senior, one from each high school that displays Americanism and patriotism. School faculty will select students. Student will be chosen from the Activity Sheet, there is no application.

*Eligible Students: Centeraech and Newfield High School Seniors*

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**AMY BARTOLOTTA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
The family and friends of Amy Bartolotta will be awarding two (2) $1,000 scholarships in her memory. This year, a graduating senior in both Centereach High School and Newfield High School will be eligible to receive these scholarships. Each student must upload the application and write an essay describing how they overcame adversity in their lives. The recipient should be planning to continue their education at any college or post-secondary educational institution. **Please only use your student number - not your name,** on your essay.

*Click for application!*

*Eligible Students: Centeraech and Newfield High School Seniors*

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**ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS — JANET QUIRK FRANQUET MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
The Ladies Ancient Order of Hibernians is pleased to offer a $300 scholarship in honor of a former student who died from breast cancer. Interested students must write an essay regarding health issues that women face today.

*Click for application!*

*Eligible Students: Centeraech High School Seniors*

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**ANDREA DORIA LODGE #2201 OSIA SCHOLARSHIP**
A $100 scholarship will be awarded to a senior at each high school who excels in Italian language or studies and wishes to continue with his/her education. Schools will select students. Student will be chosen from the Activity Sheet.

*Click for application!*

*Eligible Students: Centeraech High School Seniors*

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**ANGEL STELLA ROSE LANNING MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
In honor of the memory of Stella Rose by her parents Jaclyn and John. Jaclyn, who is a teacher at Centereach High School is honored to have the opportunity to keep her baby girl's memory alive while helping a deserving student. A scholarship will be awarded to senior or seniors who demonstrates strong academic efforts regardless of their academic standing. The student must be actively involved in school activities and the community, as well as exude kindness and fellowship among their peers. Student will be chosen from the Activity Sheet.

*Click for application!*

*Eligible Students: Centeraech High School Seniors*

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**ANCIENT ORDER OF HIBERNIANS — AN IRISH/AMERICAN CULTURAL ORGANIZATION EDWARD J. REYNOLDS/RAYMOND J. MEEHAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
The Ancient Order of Hibernians is pleased to offer a $500 scholarship to a graduating senior from either Centereach or Newfield who:

- The candidate is interested in furthering their education beyond high school.
- The candidate shall be a person of good character and has exhibited good citizenship.
- The candidate shall have a satisfactory attendance record over the past school year.
- The candidate should maintain a B average during the past school year.
- The candidate shall submit a written essay detailing their personal exposure to an aspect of Irish culture, the Irish language or Irish history.

A transcript must be mailed to the address on the website.

*Click for application!*

*Eligible Students: Centeraech and Newfield High School Seniors*
ARMY STAFF SERGEANT JAMES D. MCNAUGHTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

This $1000 scholarship is given in memory of Army Staff Sergeant James D. McNaughton and will be awarded to two graduating seniors from Centereach High School. The students must be in good standing maintaining a B average or better, who demonstrate drive and determination, and plan to enter post-secondary study in pursuit of a career in law enforcement, criminal justice or the military. Students will be chosen from the Activity Sheet.

Click for application!

**Eligible Students:** Centereach High School Seniors

ASSOCIATION OF FIRE DISTRICTS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, INC., SCHOLARSHIP

The Association of Fire Districts of the State of the New York is pleased to announce our “Ned Carter” Scholarship availability of four (4) $1,500 scholarships to New York State high school seniors who will be graduating in June, 2018. The student MUST be related to a firefighter, be a firefighter, or be an explorer in a fire department, that is a member of The Association of Fire Districts of the State of New York. These scholarships are named in memory of Past President, Edward “Ned” Carter and all deceased past presidents of the State Association. In keeping with Ned’s life of community service and dedication, these awards will be presented to seniors who will be pursuing a career in a community service field at either a two or four-year college.

Applications will be available online on the Associations’ website https://www.afdsny.org/.

**Note:** To be consider for this honor, applications must be postmarked by February 24, 2018 and mailed to: AFDSNY Scholarship Committee, c/o Eugene Petricevich, P.O. Box 133, Brookhaven, NY 11719.

Click for information!

**Eligible Students:** Centereach And Newfield High School Seniors

ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL BUSINESS OFFICIALS’ SCHOLARSHIP

The Association of School Business Officials will present two (2) $250 awards. We will offer one award to a Newfield graduate and one to a Centereach graduate who are planning a career in education. These students should be active in some type of community service and have a commitment to academics.

Click for application!

**Eligible Students:** Centereach And Newfield High School Seniors

THE BOBBY KERR MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

The Bobby Kerr Scholarship is awarding two (2) $500 scholarships to seniors graduating from Newfield HS and planning to attend an accredited college or vocational school. This scholarship was established in his memory by his children. Bobby attended Middle Country Central School District since elementary school and graduated from Newfield HS. He was committed to service to the district he called home. He later returned to teach and coach in the district. His intention was to have a positive impact on the lives of his students and athletes. We wish to continue his intentions through this scholarship fund, in the hope that students can fulfill their dreams and become their best selves.

Note: While grades are not a basis for this award special consideration will be given to those who have balanced high academic achievement with participation in sports. They must submit an essay that may include: a description of their goals and how this scholarship would assist in attaining those goals; a statement of why they were involved in extracurricular activities, what they gained from the experience and why they feel they are deserving of the scholarship; what their greatest challenge was and how they overcame it; and where they see themselves in 10 years. Please mail applications to: Maria Kerr 28 Stratton Lane, Stony Brook, NY 11790

Click for application!

**Eligible Students:** Newfield High School Seniors

BROOKHAVEN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL MEDICAL AND DENTAL CENTER SCHOLARSHIP

The Brookhaven Memorial Hospital Medical and Dental Center will award two (2) $1,500 scholarship, they will offer one award to a Newfield graduate and one to a Centereach graduate who are pursuing a career in the dental or medical field. The check will be awarded directly to the student on June 12, 2018 @ Brookhaven Memorial Award Night.

Click for application!

**Eligible Students:** Centereach And Newfield High School Seniors
CENTEREACH CIVIC ASSOCIATION COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP
The Centereach Civic Association will award two (2) $250 scholarships to Centereach High School seniors. Applicants must be active in volunteer organizations within the school and/or the community. Academic achievement is not part of the criteria for being selected for this scholarship. Applicants will be required to complete a questionnaire and an essay concerning a volunteer experience and how it affected your life now and how do you think it will affect your life in the future.
Click for application!
**Eligible Students:** Centereach High School Seniors

CENTEREACH FIRE DEPARTMENT – RALPH J. SAPPERCROQUA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
A $2,500 scholarship will be awarded to the student who has the highest academic average and whose parent/guardian is a current active member of the Centereach Fire Department. The scholarship will be awarded during the student’s first year in college. This award is not recurring. In cases where students have identical averages, the principal will make the final decision relative to the scholarship recipient. A scholarship certificate will be issued to the recipient. The $2,500 check will be sent to the financial aid office of the college the student plans to attend. The student must write a letter of application to the Scholarship Committee requesting consideration for the Ralph J. Sappacerqua Memorial Scholarship.
Click for application!
**Eligible Students:** Centereach High School Seniors

CENTEREACH VETERANS OF FOREIGN WAR POST #4927 SCHOLARSHIP
The Centereach Veterans of Foreign War (VFW) will offer one (1) scholarship, available to Centereach High School seniors, valued at $100. Student will be chosen from the Activity Sheet. Chosen recipient will be presented with the check in person at the VFW Post #4927 monthly meeting.
Click for application!
**Eligible Students:** Centereach High School Seniors

CENTRAL BROOKHAVEN LIONS CLUB – THOMAS MARINELLO SCHOLARSHIP
This scholarship of $500 will be awarded to two graduating senior in good academic standing. Must be accepted and show evidence of enrollment in a post-secondary institution. The student must be involved in community service. Preference should be given to those students who fulfill all the requirements as listed above and show sincere financial need.
Click for application!
**Eligible Students:** Centereach And Newfield High School Seniors

COLONEL JOSIAH SMITH CHAPTER NSDAR SCHOLARSHIP
The Col. Josiah Smith Scholarship is to financially assist a deserving high school senior (male or female) in meeting the expenses of a higher education. The scholarship will be a one-time $500 award. This scholarship is not intended for students at the top of their class. Instead this scholarship is directed to help those students who persevere, to the best of their ability, in the achievement of success, and who demonstrate a financial need.
- Senior must demonstrate initiative and determination by being accepted in a 2 or 4 year college or university with a degree program.
- Applicant’s academic average shall be at least 75% and not more than 90%.
- Official high school transcript must accompany application.
- Senior must prepare a typed essay of no more than 500 words on the following topic: “Using a life experience, community service or extra-curricular activity that you participated in, describe the impact the experience had on you, what you learned about yourself and how it has influenced your plans for the future.”
Students must mail application, official signed High School Transcript and essay directly to: Ms. Barbara Watson 339 South Lenox Ave., East Patchogue, NY 11772 before March 31, 2018. Applications can be picked up at your Guidance Office.
Click for information!
**Eligible Students:** Seniors from 12 Suffolk Country HS
**Colonel Josiah Smith Chapter NSDAR “V” Scholarship**
The Col. Josiah Smith “V” Scholarship is to financially assist a deserving high school senior (male or female) in meeting the expenses of a higher education. The student must be a child or step-child of a parent or legal guardian who is presently serving or retired from any branch of the U.S. military. The scholarship will be a one-time $500 award. This scholarship is not intended for students at the top of their class. Instead this scholarship is directed to help those students who persevere, to the best of their ability, in the achievement of success, and who demonstrate a financial need.

- Applicant must be the child or step-child of a parent or legal guardian who is presently serving or retired from any branch of the U.S. military. Proof of service will be required if student is chosen to receive award.
- Applicant must demonstrate initiative and determination by being accepted for admission in a 2 or 4 year college or university with a degree program.
- Applicant’s academic average shall be at least 75% and not more than 90%.
- Official high school transcript must accompany application.
- Senior must prepare a typed essay of no more than 500 words on the following topic: “Using a life experience, community service or extra-curricular activity that you participated in, describe the impact the experience had on you, what you learned about yourself and how it has influenced your plans for the future.”

Students must mail application, official signed High School Transcript and essay directly to:
Ms. Barbara Watson 339 South Lenox Ave., East Patchogue, NY 11772 before March 31, 2018. Applications can be picked up at your Guidance Office. [Click for information!](#)

**Coram Civic Association Community Service Scholarship**
The Coram Civic Association, a volunteer organization that is dedicated to the preservation of the history, beauty and spirit of the town of Coram, has established a $500 Community Service Scholarship. The criteria for the Coram Civic Association Service Scholarship are:

- Resident of the town of Coram.
- High School student in his/her senior year.
- Accepted for enrollment in a post-high school educational program.
- Record of community service related to the preservation of the history, beauty and spirit of Coram.
- Maintained a 3.0 grade point average.
- Students must include details of their community service, letters of recommendation and essay on why they deserve the scholarship.

The deadline for the receipt of the Scholarship application is March 1, 2018. [Click for application!](#)

**Eligible Students: Centereach And Newfield High School Seniors Who Resides in Coram**

**County Executive’s Public Service Award**
This award is given to a senior from each high school that has combined academic success with commitment to their community. Winners will receive a proclamation commemorating this service award. Seniors applying must write a personal statement which reflects their commitment to the Middle Country community. Students will be chosen from the Activity Sheet. [Click for application!](#)

**Eligible Students: Centereach And Newfield High School Seniors**

**Daughters Of The American Revolution (NSDAR): Colonel Josiah Smith Chapter American History Award**
Social Studies instructors at each high school will select a student who has shown Excellence in American History. The National Society of Daughters of the American Revolution will present a medal and certificate. Student will be chosen by the faculty. [Click for application!](#)

**Eligible Students: Centereach And Newfield High School Seniors**
Established in the memory of Dennis J. Zarcone who was an active member of the Selden Fire Department. Although he had limitations, all Dennis wanted to do was belong and serve his community. This $500 scholarship is granted to a graduating senior who is currently receiving special education services and attends Newfield High School. Students must list the post-secondary and/or vocational training he/she is seeking. Additionally, give examples in an essay of their good citizenship, community service and positive academic attitude for the future.

**Eligible Students: Newfield High School Special Education Seniors**

Two (2) $250 scholarships will be offered to female seniors who meet the following criteria: Women who have strong intentions of majoring in a Science, Technology, Engineering, or Mathematics (STEM) field.

Requested information:
- Intended major
- Intended university
- Activity Sheet

Essay Submission (500 words max) that addresses both of the following components:
1. The English translation of the Latin phrase Ut Prosim is "That I May Serve." What does this mean to you?
2. A number of challenges face women who choose to enter a STEM field. What made you want to take on these challenges and how do you plan to help break those barriers?

**Eligible Students: Centereach High School Seniors**

**First Generation Scholarship**

Are you the first in your family to attend college? A student officially qualifies as “First Generation” if neither parent holds a bachelor’s degree or associate’s degree. The fundamental requirement of each applicant is to be the first in one’s family to go to college. Competition includes a typed essay (150 words maximum) which incorporates the following information:
- Must be the first in his or her immediate family to go to college.
- Must demonstrate need.
- Must be accepted into full-time enrollment at a college, university or technical school.
- Possess a record of community and/or school service, and have successfully taken advanced coursework.

Two (2) $250 scholarships will be awarded to academically motivated, financially needy students who are about to be the first generation in their family to attend college!

**Eligible Students: Centereach And Newfield High School Seniors**

A $750 award will be given to a graduating Newfield High School senior who is an average hard working student, school spirited/sports oriented. Student will be chosen from the Activity Sheet.

**Eligible Students: Newfield High School Seniors**

**GARY ADLER MEMORIAL EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP**

A scholarship will be given to a graduating Centereach High School senior who is an average hard working student, school spirited/sports oriented. Student will be chosen from the Activity Sheet.

**Eligible Students: Centereach High School Seniors**

**GREATER MIDDLE COUNTRY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SCHOLARSHIP**

The Middle Country Chamber of Commerce will be offering a scholarship to a senior from each high school in the amount of $250 each. The scholarships will be based on participation in the DECA Program. Interested candidates will be required to write an essay explaining what field they are pursing in business and why.

**Eligible Students: Centereach And Newfield High School Seniors**

**THE H2M ARCHITECTS + ENGINEERS STEM SCHOLARSHIP**

The H2M architects + engineers STEM Scholarship is awarded on the basis of merit and character to a graduating senior who is planning to attend college and enroll in a science, technology, engineering or math (STEM) degree program, which includes but not limited to environmental science, engineering, architecture, planning, landscape architecture, and land surveying.

- Applicant must be accepted to an accredited college or university in STEM degree program.
- Applicant must be an employee of a family member of a current H2M architects + engineers employee.
- Applicant must be an employee of a family member of a current H2M architects + engineers employee.
- Academic achievement is a significant factor in the selection process; however, there are no minimum requirements in order to apply.
- You must complete an application form.
- Submit a brief essay describing your future plans and why you are deserving of this scholarship. Tell us something unique about yourself.
- Two (2) recommendations from teachers and/or guidance counselor or leader in the community.
- Please submit to H2M by April 1, 2018.

This scholarship cannot be applied for online. Applications may be obtained in the Guidance Office.

**Eligible Students: Centereach And Newfield High School Seniors**
**INSPRIATIONS PERFORMING ARTS CENTRE SCHOLARSHIP**

Inspirations Performing Arts Centre will award one (1) $500 scholarship to a graduating senior actively participating in the music, dance or drama departments in Newfield & Centereach High School. The scholarship will be awarded based on a 250-300 word essay. The essay should include how participating in any/all of these programs has been an asset to your high school education. Please include why you feel it is important for schools to continue to offer these programs, and how you feel these programs will help you pursue your personal goals in the future.

**Click for application!**

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

**JAMES GHIRINGHELLI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP, “STRINGS OF LIFE” ~ ACTING AND MUSIC**

This Scholarship is named in Memory of my beloved son, James Ghiringhelli, who truly made a difference in this world and whose passion was dedicated to acting, singing and guitar playing. “Strings of Life” reflects James’ passion for the guitar. This $500 scholarship is offered to a Newfield High School Senior who also has a passion for singing, acting or music. Applicants will be required to create and demonstrate a short piece of their acting or musical ability. A minimum of a 350 word essay will be required which is to include:

- How you came to have this intense passion?
- Your Performing Arts related goals for the future.
- Who, if any, inspired you to pursue your goals in this Performing Arts related field?
- Specify, if any, related community service activities.
- Write a few words about who you are as a person.

**Click for application!**

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

**JEFF IORIO MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

The family of Jeff Iorio is honored to award one (1) $500 scholarship to a Newfield High School senior who will be pursuing a career in education. The scholarship is named in memory of Jeff Iorio who truly made a difference in this world and whose passion was dedicated to the Arts. Required essay: What are your plans for the future and where do you see yourself ten years from now? Please include your intended major as well as occupational goals. (250-300 words)

**Click for application!**

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

**JESSICA VIALENELLA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS**

A $500 scholarship will be awarded to a Newfield High School senior who has participated in band, chorus, or Thespian Society. Applicants should have at least a 2.8 GPA, but need not be planning to pursue a career in the performing arts. Students need only to write an essay of no more than 500 words (typed and double spaced) about yourself and how being in the performing arts has been important in your life and complete an Activity Sheet.

**Click for application!**

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

**JEWISH WAR VETERANS OF USA SCHOLARSHIP-THREE VILLAGE POST # 336**

This $250 scholarship will be awarded to a Newfield High School senior who shows excellent character and is active in community service. Applicants must complete an Activity Sheet and meet the following criteria:

- The student must have an overall GPA of at least 3.5.
- The student must have or had a family member or relative who has served or is currently serving in the US Military and/or the student is planning on attending a Military Academy.
- The student must have knowledge of current Jewish affairs.
- Please answer the following question: What are the issues presently confronting Israel and what solutions would you propose in dealing with these issues?
- The student will be selected by the Newfield High School Scholarship Committee.

**Click for application!**

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

**JIM AND MARY RAGUSA SCHOLARSHIP**

A total of two (2) scholarships will be awarded in the amount of $600. One scholarship will be awarded to a football team member who plans to attend college and who is a team and student body leader demonstrating good character; the football coaching staff will choose the award recipient. The second scholarship will be awarded to a NHS female student athlete who plans to attend college and who also shows leadership and good character; the physical education staff will determine the award recipient.

**Click for application!**

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIOR ATHLETES**
**John Peter Soltan Memorial Award**
The family of John Peter Soltan is pleased to present a scholarship to a graduating Newfield High School student who has distinguished themselves with a C+ average. The student should be planning to study Forensic Science or the Criminal Justice Field. The recipient will plan to continue their education at a four year college and demonstrate financial need.

*Click for application!*

**Eligible Students:** Newfield High School Seniors

**Knights of Pythias Award**
One student from each high school will be awarded the Knights of Pythias medal. This student must have had extraordinary involvement in community affairs, volunteer work or some other worthy extra-curricular activity.

*Click for application!*

**Eligible Students:** Centereach and Newfield High School Seniors

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**Lake Grove Cultural Arts, Recreation and Education Society Scholarship (L.G. CARES)**
L.G. CARES will be awarding two (2) scholarships in the amount of $300 each to graduating seniors (one male/one female) from Centereach High School. Candidates must be well-rounded, maintain at least a B average, intend to further their education, participate in community involvement and live in the Incorporated Village of Lake Grove. Scholarship winners will be determined by the CHS Scholarship Committee.

*Click for application!*

**Eligible Students:** Centereach High School Seniors

**Larry Cronk Memorial Scholarship - Lake Grove-Newfield Soccer Club Scholarship**
The Lake Grove-Newfield Soccer Club will be awarding two (2) $250 scholarships to Newfield High School graduating students and two (2) $250 scholarships to Centereach High School graduating students. To receive award students must submit applicant letter and student’s transcript must be attached with application. Include the years you played for Lake Grove-Newfield Soccer Club.

*Click for application!*

**Eligible Students:** Centereach and Newfield High School Seniors

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**Lifetouch Scholarship**
A scholarship will be awarded to a Centereach High School senior(s) chosen by the Yearbook Advisor.

*Click for application!*

**Eligible Students:** Centereach High School Seniors

**Lighthouse Insurance – Joseph B. Rose Scholarship**
The Lighthouse Insurance Scholarship was established in memory of Joseph Rose who was an ardent supporter of higher education. Two (2) $500 scholarships will be awarded to aid two graduating seniors from Newfield High School who are planning to attend an institution of higher education. Each student must complete an Activity Sheet and meet the following criteria:

- Plans to continue their education beyond high school
- Maintained high levels of academic achievement
- Involved in community affairs and school activities

Recipients will be chosen from the Activity Sheet and the merits of a written essay (maximum of 200 words). The essay should explain what your goals are and how you will benefit our community and those around you after college.

*Click for application!*

**Eligible Students:** Newfield High School Seniors

**Long Island Blood Services Scholarship**
This $250 scholarship was established to acknowledge the efforts of high schools and their students that sponsor at least two blood drives each academic year. High school students contribute approximately 25% of the blood donated on Long Island. Criteria and components of the scholarship award include:

- Graduating senior.
- Winner displays exceptional leadership and organizational skills in coordinating school blood drives and recruiting fellow students to donate.
- Award winner is not required to be a blood donor.
- Activity Sheet must be uploaded by interested applicants.

The scholarship winner will be selected by the faculty/staff member responsible for supervision of the student blood drive effort.

*Click for application!*

**Eligible Students:** Centereach and Newfield High School Seniors
LONG ISLAND FUTSAL SCHOLARSHIP 5-ASIDE SOCCER
Two (2) $250 awards will be presented to outstanding seniors in varsity soccer with a B average or better. The high school soccer coaches will recommend students deserving of this award. Student will be chosen from the Activity Sheet.
Click for application!
**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS:** Centerkeep And Newfield High School Senior, Varsity Soccer Players

MATTHEW H. BORKOWSKI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
This scholarship is in memory of Matthew Borkowski, a 2013 graduate of Centerkeep High School who was killed by a drunk driver. One scholarship in the amount of $250 will be awarded to a graduating senior who is a member of SADD.
Requirements: Please be an active member of SADD and answer the question: What inspired you to join SADD.
Click for application!
**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS:** Centerkeep High School Seniors

MATTHEW LEWIS MEMORIAL MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP
The Matthew Lewis Memorial Music Scholarship is offering a $500 scholarship to a graduating Centerkeep High School senior who has been active in the CHS music program. This award is for someone who loves music, but is not necessarily majoring in music. A required 350 word essay must include:
- Interpret “Keep The Music Playing”
Please only use your student number—not your name, on your essay.
Click for application!
**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS:** Centerkeep High School Seniors

MATTHEW LEWIS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
“I’M NOT THE SAME PERSON I WAS IN 9TH GRADE.”
The Matthew Lewis Memorial Scholarship is offering a $500 scholarship to a graduating Centerkeep High School senior. A required 350 word essay must discuss:
- How have you changed?
- To what/whom do you attribute this change?
- How do you see your future?
Please only use your student number—not your name, on your essay.
Click for application!
**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS:** Centerkeep High School Seniors

MATTHEW LEWIS MEMORIAL THEATER SCHOLARSHIP
The Matthew Lewis Memorial Theater Scholarship is offering a $500 scholarship to a graduating Centerkeep High School senior who has been active in CHS theater program and/or community theater. The student does not have to major in theater in college, but he/she must be interested in continuing to participate on some level. A required 350 word essay must discuss:
- When did you know theater was something you wanted to do?
- How has it impacted your life?
- What is your most memorable moment?
Please only use your student number—not your name, on your essay.
Click for application!
**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS:** Centerkeep High School Seniors

MEDIGAS LIFE SAFETY GROUP SCHOLARSHIP
Medigas Life Safety Group will be awarding a $250 scholarship to a graduating Centerkeep High School senior who is entering a field that utilizes STEM course work (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math). The building scholarship committee will choose the winner.
Click for information!
**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS:** Centerkeep High School Seniors

MID-BROOKHAVEN REPUBLICAN CLUB — ROSE CARACAPPA SCHOLARSHIP
The Mid-Brookhaven Republican Club would like to honor Rose Caracappa’s dedication to public service with a memorial award of two (2) $125 scholarships to a graduating senior one from Newfield High School and one from Centerkeep High School. We will be selecting the applicants that are able to meet the following criteria:
- Maintained an 80 average throughout his/her high school career.
- Exhibited citizenship by school attendance.
- Community participation and involvement in school activities.
- Plans to continue his/her education in a college or vocational school.
In addition to her role as wife and mother, Rose Caracappa’s career included public service as a Suffolk County Legislator and numerous volunteer activities. In a brief essay, explain your views on the responsibilities of American citizenship.
Student will be chosen from the Activity Sheet and essay.
Click for application!
**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS:** Centerkeep And Newfield High School Seniors
# SCHOLARSHIP

**MIDDLE COUNTRY ATHLETIC BOOSTER INC.**

This scholarship will be awarded to one or two senior varsity athletes one from either high school, who have displayed a well-rounded character while balancing academics and athletic participation. Student must be an active Booster Club Member.

[Click for information!](#)

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

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**MIDDLE COUNTRY AUTO - AUTOMOTIVE**

**SCHOLARSHIP**

Middle Country Automotive is offering two (2) $500 scholarships to one senior from each high school who will be entering into automotive education or automotive trade school. Candidates must show good character and citizenship and has maintained a good record throughout their high school years.

*(Do not include name-student number only.)*

[Click for application!](#)

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

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**MIDDLE COUNTRY CHILDREN’S SOCCER AWARD**

The Middle Country Children’s Soccer organization is offering four (4) $500 scholarships to graduating seniors who reside in the Middle Country Central School District. The criteria needed to apply for these scholarships include:

- The student must be a past or present member of the MCCS – either as a player or as a referee.
- The student must be planning to attend an accredited college or university in the fall semester following graduation.
- Indicate on the top of the page your student identification number **only. (NO NAME)**

If you meet the above mentioned criteria, please answer the following questions in essay form.

- Describe your plans for the future; include your college plans, as well as a possible major course of study and career path.
- What experiences have you had with Middle Country Children's Soccer? How have these experiences affected you personally?
- What advice would you offer to the younger members of our club? Explain to him/her how being involved with MCCS has helped you and also how you feel their involvement will benefit them.
- Why do you feel the Middle Country Children’s Soccer Scholarship should be awarded to you?

[Click for application!](#)

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS**

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**MIDDLE COUNTRY SPORTS ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP**

The Middle Country Sports Association would like to award the following scholarships:

**GIRLS’ SOFTBALL SCHOLARSHIPS**

Scholarships will be awarded to college-bound female graduating seniors who have played in the MCSA girls’ softball program for a minimum of two years. Interested candidates will be required to write an essay explaining how your participation in Middle Country Sports Association through the years has affected your development as a person.

[Click for application!](#)

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: COLLEGE BOUND SENIORS FROM CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL**

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**GIRLS’ AND BOYS’ BASKETBALL SCHOLARSHIPS**

Scholarships will be awarded to male and female college-bound graduating seniors who have played in the MCSA basketball program for a minimum of two years. Interested candidates will be required to write an essay explaining how your participation in Middle Country Sports Association through the years has affected your development as a person.

[Click for application!](#)

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS: COLLEGE BOUND SENIORS FROM CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL**

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**WE FIRST MAKE OUR HABITS AND THEN OUR HABITS MAKE US.**
**MULLER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

This scholarship will be awarded to a graduating student with financial need. Two (2) $1,000 scholarships will be awarded, one to each high school. The recipients will be determined by the building scholarship committee.

[Click for information!]

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS:** CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

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**MUNISTAT SERVICES SCHOLARSHIP**

The Munistat Service Scholarship in the amount of $250 will be given to one graduating senior from each high school who will be going on to study business at a college or university.

[Click for application!]

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS:** CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

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**NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP**

The Newfield High School Alumni Association is pleased to offer one (1) $250 scholarship to a graduating senior. Recipient will be chosen on the merits of a written 250 word essay on one of the following topics:

- What is your favorite memory of Newfield High School?
- How have you contributed to Newfield High School?

Your essay should be a reflection of your time at Newfield High School. It will be judged on what you have to say about yourself and Newfield High School. Applications are available online. (Do not include name-student number only.)

[Click for application!]

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS:** NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

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**NOREEN SMITH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

This award is not based on scholastic standing, student selection will be based on their Activity Sheet. Each student must complete an Activity Sheet and meet the following criteria:

- Must be a graduating senior.
- The student must attend college in the fall.
- The student must have a parent (or immediate family member) presently battling cancer, in remission or unfortunately had a parent succumb to the disease.

[Click for application!]

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS:** CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

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**RITA TSOUKARIS SCHOLARSHIP**

Ms. Rita Tsoukaris, the broker/owner of RE/MAX Integrity Leaders in Centereach, is offering the Middle Country School District two (2) $500 scholarships to one senior from each high school. Ms. Tsoukaris is looking for two students who have made a difference in someone’s life and are involved in community service. The winners must provide a graduation photo to be advertised as the scholarship winner for their class in an ad for RE/MAX.

[Click for application!]

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS:** CENTEREACH AND NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

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**RYAN ZINNA MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

The Middle Country Art Department will be awarding four (4) scholarships honoring Mr. Ryan Zinna. The awards will be given to two outstanding students, at each high school, that are majoring in Art Education, Art Therapy, or Fine Arts. This scholarship is chosen by the CHS & NHS Art Departments. Art Teachers are available for details.

[Click for application!]

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS:** NEWFIELD AND CENTEREACH HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

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**SAL “BEANS” LEONI SCHOLARSHIP**

This award in the amount of $730 is in honor of the memory of Sal Leoni and is funded by some of his closest friends. This scholarship will be awarded to a Newfield Senior football team member who demonstrates good sportsmanship and who is also charismatic with his teammates and the entire Newfield High School community. Preference will be given to linemen and those who would consider a career in the Culinary Arts. Football staff and the guidance department will agree on a recipient.

[Click for application!]

**ELIGIBLE STUDENTS:** NEWFIELD HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL SENIORS
Selden Centereach Youth Association (SCYA) Scholarship

SCYA, a not-for-profit organization that offers many services to our community, schools and youth, will be offering three (3) $500 scholarships. Two (2) scholarships will be offered to seniors who have been involved in at least 20 hours of community service over a three year period, and one (1) scholarship will be offered to a senior who has been a member of the youth association for at least two years. A typed essay of at least 350 words should include:

- Who you are?
- What have you learned through your experience doing community service?
- How community service will help you in the future?
- Where you see yourself in the future?
- Why we should choose you?

The senior must have a 2.5 grade point average or better and be accepted to an institution of higher education. Students must upload a copy of their Activity Sheet and essay to the SCYA Scholarship cover sheet. The student’s application should have only the student number - no name.

Click for application!

Eligible Students: Centereach and Newfield High School Seniors

Selden Civic Association Scholarship

The Selden Civic Association is offering two (2) scholarships to one senior from each high school. Each student must complete an Activity Sheet and meet the following criteria:

- Plans to continue their education beyond high school.
- Must be an average to above average student.
- Submit an essay.
- Be active in their community.

Click for application!

Eligible Students: Centereach and Newfield High School Seniors

Selden Fire Department Scholarship

Two (2) $500 scholarships will be awarded to one student from each high school. Applicant must be active in the community and achieve academic excellence. Fire Department related community service preferred. Student will be chosen by Selden Fire Department Personnel from their Activity Sheet.

Click for application!

Eligible Students: Centereach and Newfield High School Seniors

“Somos El Futuro” (We Are The Future) Scholarship

The Hispanic Heritage Month committee will be offering two (2) scholarships to qualifying seniors from Centereach High School of Hispanic descent. Each student must meet the following criteria:

- Submit an essay to the following question. “How will this scholarship help you to pursue your future goals and how will you educate your community to learn more about the Hispanic culture? Please only use your student number on your essay, not your name.
- The students must plan to continue their education beyond high school.
- The students must have no lower than an 80 average.
- The student must be active in their local and/or school community.

Click for application!

Eligible Students: Centereach High School Seniors

Sparklers Baton Twirling Scholarship

The Sparklers organization of Suffolk County will offer two (2) $100 scholarships to seniors who are, or had been, a member of The Sparklers. Selection criteria are as follows:

- Plan to continue their education beyond high school.
- "Sparkler“ application can be picked up in your Guidance Office.
- Write an essay entitled “How the sport of baton twirling with the Sparklers has affected your life.”

Click for information!

Eligible Students: Centereach and Newfield High School Seniors

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Susan Satriano Memorial Scholarship

The Susan Satriano Memorial Scholarship Foundation will award scholarships to students who meet the following three requirements:

- The student must be a graduating senior.
- The student must be attending a college in the fall.
- The student must have a parent(s) presently battling cancer, in remission or unfortunately had a parent(s) succumb to the disease.
- The student must be willing to be acknowledged at an Awards Program at their High School.

No student will be turned down if all the requirements are met. An interview, either in person or by Skype, will be set up for each applicant to meet with the sponsor of this scholarship.

Click for application!

Eligible Students: Centereach and Newfield High School Seniors
TFCU’S $2,500 ANNUAL SCHOLARSHIP DRAWING

Teacher’s Federal Credit Union awards six (6) $2500 scholarships to high school seniors who plan to continue their education. No special criteria such as monetary need or scholastic ability are necessary. Six entries are chosen at random from all entries received. All students in Suffolk and Nassau Counties are eligible to join TFCU. Open an account for only $1.00. Applications will be available on line during March and April @ www.teachersfcu.org.
Click for information!

Eligible Students: Members or Children of Members at Teacher’s Federal Credit Union

United States Marine Corps Award

The United States Marine Corps will be offering three (3) awards:
• The Distinguished Athlete Award will be awarded to an outstanding athletic leader.
• The Scholastic Excellence Award will be based on academic achievement, leadership, and dedication to the school community.
• The Semper Fidelis Musical Award will be awarded to an outstanding music student with good grades and leadership.
Click for application!

Eligible Students: Centerreach and Newfield High School Seniors

VFW Post 4927 Ladies Auxiliary: Veterans Tribute Award

The award of $200 is offered in honor of our Veterans to assist their children in furthering their education. The Auxiliary maintains the option of naming the recipients. If we have no member's child or grandchild eligible, we leave the choice of the recipient to the school. Student will be chosen from the Activity Sheet. The student should be a child, grandchild, brother or sister of a Veteran to be eligible for this award. Applications to be mailed to: Thea Carroll 16 Chester Street, Smithtown, NY 11787.
Click for application!

Eligible Students: Centerreach High School Seniors

Vincent Gentile Memorial Scholarship

The Vincent Gentile Memorial Scholarship will be given by Vincent's family to honor his memory. Vincent was a truly remarkable young man who had a passion for life and sports. To know Vincent was to love him; he could brighten any room with a smile and inspired all those around him with his undeniable strength. Although Vincent did not have the opportunity graduate from high school, we know he would be honored to present two Newfield High School seniors with a passion for sports with scholarships in the amount of $500 each. The recipients, like Vincent, must have a passion for life and sports and exude the following qualities: leadership, sportsmanship and ambition. In addition to the application, the applicants must provide a short essay describing how participation in a team sport helped to develop their overall character.
Click for application!

Eligible Students: Newfield High School Seniors

Vinnie Zaniewski Memorial Scholarship

One (1) $200 scholarship will be offered to a female senior who meets the following criteria:

Student who plans on pursuing a career in the fashion industry or business related field.

Requested Information:

• Intended Major in University/college
• Intended University/College
• Activity Sheet

Essay Submission (300 words) that addresses the following: Your understanding of the fashion industry, your personal connection to the industry and how you intend to make an impact in today’s changing and complex world.
Click for application!

Eligible Students: Centerreach High School Seniors

Zachary Rauso Memorial Scholarship

Zachery Rauso’s Family would like to present one (1) $400 scholarship to a graduating Newfield High School male or female soccer team member. This scholarship is in memory of Zachary Rauso a Newfield High School Graduate, Class of 2013, who truly enjoyed his time as a soccer player. This scholarship is not being awarded on a scholastic standing, the student will be selected from their Activity Sheet.
Click for application!

Eligible Students: Newfield High School Seniors
MIDDLE COUNTRY CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
AWARD SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION
ACTIVITY SHEET (TWO PAGES)
THIS FORM MUST BE USED, DO NOT ALTER IT IN ANY WAY

1. NAME: __________________________ TOWN: ________ STUDENT #: __________________________

2. GPA: _______ RANK: _______ ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ATTENDED: ____________________________

3. COLLEGE APPLIED TO (INDICATE STATUS: ACCEPTED, PENDING, WAITLISTED ETC.):

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4. INTENDED COLLEGE MAJOR: ____________________________________________________________

5. FUTURE CAREER GOALS: ______________________________________________________________

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6. COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES:

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7. SCHOOL ACTIVITIES:

   A. CLUBS/ORGANIZATIONS (INCLUDE LEADERSHIP POSITIONS HELD)

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   B. ATHLETICS

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8. ACCELERATED COURSE AND/OR SPECIALTY PROGRAMS (AP, COLLEGE-TIE, HONORS, ACADEMY, COSMETOLOGY ETC.):

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9. Please list awards/recognition/scholarships you have received.

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10. Have you experienced the loss of a parent? If so, who and when?

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11. Are you, or anyone in your family, involved in the Centered or Selden Fire Department? Please explain who, where and when.

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12. Is your parent or grandparent a veteran? Please explain, who, branch of service and years of service.

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13. Name of religious institution you attend if any.

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14. If you have a disability, please explain how you have worked to compensate and overcome in order to achieve success.

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15. Are there extenuating circumstances which increase your financial needs in order to continue your education? Please explain.

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ACTIVITY SHEETS ARE AVAILABLE ONLINE
SCHOLARSHIPS AND AWARDS TIMELINE

SCHOOL YEAR 2017-2018

October 2017
Distribute scholarship summary letters to sponsoring organizations

Monday, November 13, 2017
Organization must return completed scholarship information to Dr. Jennifer Harrison, c/o Annette Gurciullo, at 8-43rd Street, Centereach, NY 11720.

Thursday, January 18, 2018
Scholarship sponsor application revisions must be communicated by this date so that on-line updates can be made.

Jan. 31 and Feb 1, 2018
Scholarship Overview/Classroom presentations

Tuesday, February 6, 2018
Scholarships and Awards Booklet posted on District Website – submission of applications begin!

February 19 – 23, 2018
Mid-Winter Recess

Monday, March 05, 2018
**Final date for submission of applications**
(On-line submission closes 11:00 p.m.)
**NO EXTENSIONS WILL BE GRANTED!**

Monday, April 2, 2018
Applications can be retrieved electronically for review by organizations beginning February 2nd and continuing until April 2nd.

Tuesday, April 17, 2018
Notification of award recipients given to each high school’s Academic Awards Night coordinator no later than April 17, 2018. Contacts for notification of award recipients are:
Ms. Tiles @ CHS - #285-8109
Ms. Renahan @ NHS - #285-8324

Thursday, May 17, 2018

Tuesday, May 22, 2018

If you are a member of a community organization that is not listed in our scholarship booklet and you would like your award/scholarship to be included in future publications, please contact Dr. Jennifer Harrison, Director of Pupil Personnel Services, at 285-8850.

All applications are available online unless otherwise designated.
See your guidance counselor with any questions you may have.